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PATENT APPLICATION

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CASE 2-21-2

TITLE Methods and Apparatus for Determining Pad Height  
for a Wire-Bonding Operation in an Integrated Circuit

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Specification, Claims and Abstract - 12 pages  
4 Sheets of informal drawing(s)  
1 Assignment with Cover Sheet  
Declaration and Power of Attorney

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Total Claims	20-20 =	0	x \$18 =	\$0
Independent Claims	2-3 =	0	x \$84 =	\$0
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if applicable			\$280 =	\$0
Basic Fee				\$750
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